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The Secretary of State for External Affairs, the Honourable Howard Green, announced today the appointment of Mr. Christopher C. Eberts as High Commissioner for Canada in Pakistan. He succeeds Mr. H. O. Moran whose appointment as Director General of the External Aid Office was announced last month.

Mr. Eberts was born in Montreal, P.Q., in 1913. He is a graduate from Bishop's University and Oxford University.

Mr. Eberts joined the Department of External Affairs in 1940 and served abroad in St. Pierre et Miquelon, 1941-42, in London, with the Canadian Legation to the Allied Governments, 1943-44, and at the Canadian Embassy in Mexico from 1944-47. His last appointment was Consul General in San Francisco which he held until this summer.

In Canada, Mr. Eberts, in addition to regular departmental service, acted as the representative of the Department of External Affairs and Canadian Secretary on the Canada-United States Joint Board on Defence in 1949-50. Subsequently, he was seconded to the Cabinet Secretariat as an Assistant Secretary to the Cabinet and the Secretary to the Cabinet Defence Committee.

Mr. Eberts is married and has three children.